

Quantization of semi-classical twists and noncommutative geometry

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Abstract

A problem of defining the quantum analogues for semi-classical twists in $U(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ is considered. First, we study specialization at $q = 1$ of singular coboundary twists defined in $U_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ for \mathfrak{g} being a nonexceptional Lie algebra, then we consider specialization of noncoboundary twists when $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}_3$ and obtain q -deformation of the semi-classical twist introduced by Connes and Moscovici in noncommutative geometry.

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1 Introduction

Hopf algebras play an increasingly important role in noncommutative geometry and Quantum Field Theory. One of the sources for producing new types of Hopf algebras is twisting, a deformation of the coalgebraic structure of a given Hopf algebra $(H, \mu, \eta, \Delta, \epsilon, S)$ preserving the algebraic structure (H, μ, η) . Such deformations are generated by the twisting elements (twists) $\mathcal{F} \in (H \otimes H)$ satisfying the conditions

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{F}^{12}(\Delta \otimes \text{id})(\mathcal{F}) &= \mathcal{F}^{23}(\text{id} \otimes \Delta)(\mathcal{F}) \\ (\varepsilon \otimes \text{id})(\mathcal{F}) &= (\text{id} \otimes \varepsilon)(\mathcal{F}) = 1 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

that guarantee $H^{\mathcal{F}} \equiv (H, \mu, \eta, \text{Ad}\mathcal{F} \circ \Delta, \epsilon, S)$ is a new Hopf algebra. In fact, when H is not finite dimensional, \mathcal{F} is usually defined in some completion of the tensor product and H is understood to be a topological Hopf algebra.

In this article we consider two types of twists: the semi-classical ones if $H = U(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ and the quantum ones if $H = U_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$. Some of the semi-classical deformations such as those defined by the Jordanian twists [5, 10] appear as the limiting cases of the quantum ones (in the sense that specialization

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at $q = 1$ is extended to work for topological Hopf algebras). It was a motivation for us to study the quantum twists as many computational problems involved into a direct check of (1) drastically resolve when one works with $U_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ instead of $U(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ and thus the quantum twists is a source for many universal deformation formulas in the sense of [5].

The work is organized as follows. After preliminary section intended to fix notations, we show that if \mathfrak{g} is a nonexceptional simple Lie algebra, then a quantum analogue of the Jordanian twist can be taken to be a coboundary twist in $U_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$:

$$\mathcal{J}(e_\lambda) := (W \otimes W)\Delta(W^{-1}), \text{ where } W = \exp_{q_\lambda}\left(\frac{t}{1-q_\lambda} e_\lambda\right); \quad q_\lambda := q^{(\lambda, \lambda)}$$

with e_λ being a quantum highest root generator in some quantum Cartan-Weyl basis. We prove that $\mathcal{J}(e_\lambda)$ is nonsingular and specializes to a nontrivial twisting of $U(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$. As an application of the Jordanian twists [5, 10] to noncommutative geometry [1], we prove that there is a homomorphism of the Connes-Moscovici Hopf algebra $\iota : \mathcal{H}_1 \rightarrow U^{\mathcal{F}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$, with \mathcal{F} being a Jordanian twist, where \mathcal{H}_1 has the following structure

$$\begin{aligned} [Y, X] &= X, & [Y, \delta_n] &= n\delta_n, & [X, \delta_n] &= \delta_{n+1}, & [\delta_k, \delta_l] &= 0, & k, l &\geq 1 \\ \Delta(Y) &= Y \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes Y, & \Delta(\delta_1) &= \delta_1 \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes \delta_1 \\ \Delta(X) &= X \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes X + \delta_1 \otimes Y. \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Through factoring $\mathcal{H}'_1 := \mathcal{H}_1 / \langle \delta_2 - \frac{1}{2} \delta_1^2 \rangle$, one obtains in fact an embedding

$$\iota : \mathcal{H}'_1 \hookrightarrow U^{\mathcal{F}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$$

and the twist found in [1]:

$$F = \sum_{n \geq 0} t^n \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{S(X)^k}{k!} (2Y + k)_{n-k} \otimes \frac{X^{n-k}}{(n-k)!} (2Y + n - k)_k \tag{3}$$

where $(\alpha)_k = \alpha(\alpha+1) \cdots (\alpha+k-1)$ and $S(X) = -X + \delta_1 Y$, can be obtained as a pullback $F = \iota_* \Phi$ of a semi-classical twist Φ in $U^{\mathcal{F}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$. In section ?? we show that ι can be "quantized", thus leading to a quantum analogue of \mathcal{H}'_1 :

$$kxk^{-1} = q^2 x, \quad kzk^{-1} = q^2 z, \quad q^2 xz - zx = -tz^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta(k) &= k \otimes k, & \Delta(z) &= z \otimes k + 1 \otimes z \\ \Delta(x) &= x \otimes k^{-1} + 1 \otimes x + t z \otimes \frac{(k - k^{-1})}{1 - q^2}. \end{aligned}$$

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2 Preliminaries

Let \mathfrak{g} be a simple Lie algebra with the set of simple roots $\pi = \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_N\}$ and the Cartan matrix $(A)_{ij} = a_{ij} = 2(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)/(\alpha_i, \alpha_i)$. By definition, a Hopf algebra $U_q(\mathfrak{g})$ is generated by $\{e_i, f_i, k_i^{\pm 1}\}_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ over $\mathbb{C}(q)$ which are subject to the following relations

$$k_i e_j k_i^{-1} = q^{(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)} e_j, \quad k_i f_j k_i^{-1} = q^{-(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)} f_j \quad (4)$$

$$e_i f_j - f_j e_i = \delta_{ij} \frac{k_i - k_i^{-1}}{q - q^{-1}} \quad (5)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{1-a_{ij}} (-1)^n \begin{bmatrix} 1-a_{ij} \\ n \end{bmatrix}_{q_i} (e_i)^n e_j (e_i)^{1-a_{ij}-n} = 0 \quad \text{for } i \neq j \quad (6)$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{1-a_{ij}} (-1)^n \begin{bmatrix} 1-a_{ij} \\ n \end{bmatrix}_{q_i} (f_i)^n f_j (f_i)^{1-a_{ij}-n} = 0 \quad \text{for } i \neq j \quad (7)$$

where $q_i = q^{\frac{(\alpha_i, \alpha_i)}{2}}$ and

$$\begin{bmatrix} m \\ n \end{bmatrix}_q \equiv \frac{[m]_q!}{[n]_q! [m-n]_q!}$$

$$[k]_q! \equiv [1]_q [2]_q \dots [k]_q, \quad [l]_q \equiv (q^l - q^{-l})/(q - q^{-1})$$

The Hopf algebra structure is defined uniquely by fixing the values of the co-product on the Chevalley generators

$$\Delta(k_i) = k_i \otimes k_i \quad (8)$$

$$\Delta(e_i) = k_i^{-1} \otimes e_i + e_i \otimes 1, \quad \Delta(f_i) = f_i \otimes k_i + 1 \otimes f_i \quad (9)$$

$$S(k_i) = k_i^{-1}, \quad S(e_i) = -k_i e_i, \quad S(f_i) = -f_i k_i^{-1} \quad (10)$$

$$\varepsilon(k_i) = 1, \quad \varepsilon(e_i) = 0, \quad \varepsilon(f_i) = 0. \quad (11)$$

Letting $q_h = e^h$ and $K_i := q_h^{h_i}$ in (4)-(11), we come to definition of $U_h(\mathfrak{g})[[h]]$, the topological Hopf algebra over $\mathbb{C}[[h]]$.

One introduces a linear ordering on the set of positive roots Δ_+ by fixing the reduced decomposition of the longest element in the Weyl group $w_0 = s_{i_1} s_{i_2} \dots s_{i_M}$. Then the linear ordering read from the left to the right is the following

$$\Delta_+ = \{\alpha_{i_1}, s_{i_1} \alpha_{i_2}, \dots, s_{i_1} s_{i_2} \dots s_{i_{M-1}} \alpha_{i_M}\}. \quad (12)$$

An ordering (12) is normal, namely for each $\alpha, \beta \in \Delta_+$ such that $\alpha + \beta \in \Delta_+$ and $\alpha \prec \beta$, we have $\alpha \prec \alpha + \beta \prec \beta$. There is one-to-one correspondence between the reduced decompositions of the longest element in the Weyl group and the normal orderings given by (12). Following [8], one defines the generators corresponding to the composite roots. For a chosen normal ordering on Δ_+ let $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Delta_+$

be pairwise noncollinear roots, such that $\gamma = \alpha + \beta$. Let α and β are taken so that there are no other roots α' and β' with the property $\gamma = \alpha' + \beta'$. Then if $e_{\pm\alpha}$ and $e_{\pm\beta}$ have already been constructed, we set

$$e_\gamma = e_\alpha e_\beta - q^{-(\alpha, \beta)} e_\beta e_\alpha, \quad e_{-\gamma} = e_{-\beta} e_{-\alpha} - q^{-(\beta, \alpha)} e_{-\alpha} e_{-\beta}.$$

For any root $\gamma \in \Delta_+$ define

$$\check{R}_\gamma := \exp_{q_\gamma}(-(q - q^{-1})a_\gamma^{-1} e_\gamma k_\gamma \otimes k_\gamma^{-1} f_\gamma),$$

where $q_\gamma = q^{(\gamma, \gamma)}$ and

$$\exp_q(x) := \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{x^n}{(n)_q!}, \quad (n)_q! \equiv (1)_q(2)_q \dots (n)_q, \quad (k)_q \equiv (1 - q^k)/(1 - q).$$

with factors a_γ coming from the relations

$$[e_\gamma, e_{-\gamma}] = a_\gamma \frac{k_\gamma - k_\gamma^{-1}}{q - q^{-1}}.$$

The elements \check{R}_γ are understood to be taken in some completion of $U_q(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes U_q(\mathfrak{g})$ (the Taylor extension or the h -adic [8]). Now the coproducts of composite root generators can be expressed in terms of the adjoint action of the following factors

$$\check{R}_{\prec\beta} := \prod_{\gamma \prec \beta} \check{R}_\gamma,$$

where the product over all the positive roots such that $\prec \beta$ is taken in accordance with the chosen normal ordering. Namely, we have the following

Theorem 1 ([8, 9]). *Consider the canonical isomorphism $\mathfrak{h} \simeq \mathfrak{h}^*$ defined by the bilinear form $(\ , \)$ on \mathfrak{h} . Let $h_\beta \in \mathfrak{h}$ be the image of a root $\beta \in \mathfrak{h}^*$ with respect to this isomorphism. Then the following identity holds:*

$$\Delta(e_\beta) = \check{R}_{\prec\beta}(k_\beta^{-1} \otimes e_\beta + e_\beta \otimes 1)\check{R}_{\prec\beta}^{-1}. \quad (13)$$

Proof. Note that (13) is equivalent to Proposition 8.3 from [8] if one applies $(S \otimes S)$ to both parts of

$$\Delta^{op}(e_\alpha) = \left(\prod_{\gamma < \alpha} \check{R}_\gamma \right) (1 \otimes e_\alpha + e_\alpha \otimes \bar{k}_\alpha) \left(\prod_{\gamma < \alpha} \check{R}_\gamma \right)^{-1}$$

(notations are of [8]) and check that our construction of the modified basis differs by the change $q \leftrightarrow q^{-1}$. \square

We conclude this section by adding remarks on specialization [3]. Let $\mathcal{A} = \mathbb{C}[q, q^{-1}]_{(q-1)}$ be a ring of rational functions regular at $q = 1$ and let $\hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})$ be an \mathcal{A} subalgebra in $U_q(\mathfrak{g})$ generated by $\left\{ e_i, f_i, k_i^{-1}, \frac{k_i - 1}{q - 1} \right\}$ then

$$\hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} \mathbb{C} \approx U(\mathfrak{g})$$

where \mathbb{C} is regarded as an \mathcal{A} module (q acts as 1). By construction of the quantum Cartan-Weyl basis we have the property

$$\Delta(e_\beta) \in \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})$$

but, in fact, one can deduce from (13) more restrictive property

$$\Delta(e_\beta) - k_\beta^{-1} \otimes e_\beta - e_\beta \otimes 1 \in (q - q^{-1}) \hat{U}_q^+(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \hat{U}_q^+(\mathfrak{g}) \quad (14)$$

where $\hat{U}_q^+(\mathfrak{g})$ is generated by $\left\{ e_i, k_i^{-1}, \frac{k_i - 1}{q - 1} \right\}$. In what follows we are usually working rather with completions $\hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ and $\hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ in which the twists are to be defined. Let us formulate the following simple result which is of value for further application

Proposition 1. *Let $\mathcal{F} \in \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ be a twist in $U_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$, then its specialization $\overline{\mathcal{F}}$, obtained by order-wise specialization of its coefficients from $\hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})$ at $q = 1$, is still a twist in $U(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$.*

Proof. Indeed, representing \mathcal{F} as a series

$$\mathcal{F} = 1 \otimes 1 + \mathcal{F}_1 t + \mathcal{F}_2 t^2 + \dots$$

we see that (1) is equivalent to an infinite set of identities and each of them after specializing $q = 1$ remain valid. Thus

$$\overline{\mathcal{F}} = 1 \otimes 1 + \overline{\mathcal{F}}_1 t + \overline{\mathcal{F}}_2 t^2 + \dots$$

is a twist in $U(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$. □

3 Quantum Jordanian twists

We restrict ourselves to consideration of nonexceptional Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} and define the quantum Jordanian twists as those specializing to semi-classical ones which define quantization of skew-symmetric extended Jordanian r -matrices:

$$r_\lambda = H_\lambda \wedge E_\lambda + 2 \sum_{\gamma_1 \prec \gamma_2, \gamma_1 + \gamma_2 = \lambda} E_{\gamma_1} \wedge E_{\gamma_2}$$

by the rule

$$\mathcal{R} = \mathcal{F}_{\lambda 21} \mathcal{F}_\lambda^{-1} = 1 \otimes 1 + t r_\lambda \bmod t^2,$$

where we have denoted by H_λ, E_γ the elements of the classical Cartan-Weyl basis.

Let us fix some normal ordering on Δ_+ and define a generator $e_\lambda \in U_q(\mathfrak{g})$ corresponding to the highest root λ according to the recipe from the previous section. Then nonexceptional root systems are remarkable by the following property:

Proposition 2. *Let \mathfrak{g} be a non exceptional Lie algebra, then there is such a normal ordering " \prec " on Δ_+ so that*

$$[e_\gamma, e_\lambda]_{q^{-(\gamma, \lambda)}} = 0 \text{ for any } \gamma \prec \lambda, \text{ and } e_\gamma, e_\lambda \in U_q(\mathfrak{g}).$$

Proof. The proof is based on the expansion [8, 9]:

$$e_\gamma e_\lambda - q^{-(\gamma, \lambda)} e_\lambda e_\gamma = \sum_{\gamma \prec \gamma_1 \prec \dots \prec \gamma_j \prec \lambda} c_{l, \gamma, \lambda} e_{\gamma_1}^{l_1} \dots e_{\gamma_j}^{l_j} \quad (15)$$

where $c_{l, \gamma, \lambda} \in \mathbb{C}[q, q^{-1}]$. Non zero terms in the sum are subject to condition

$$\gamma + \lambda = l_1 \gamma_1 + l_2 \gamma_2 + \dots + l_j \gamma_j. \quad (16)$$

In A_N we choose a normal ordering as

$$\alpha_1 \succ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \succ \dots \succ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_N \succ \overbrace{\alpha_2 \succ \dots \succ \alpha_{N-1} + \alpha_N}^{\text{roots without } \alpha_1} \succ \alpha_N$$

and $\lambda = \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_N$. If $\lambda \succ \gamma \succ \alpha_N$ we can satisfy (15) only with zero coefficients.

In B_N we have

$$\alpha_1 \succ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \succ \dots \succ \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 + \dots + 2\alpha_{N-1} + 2\beta \succ \overbrace{\alpha_2 \succ \alpha_2 + \alpha_3 \succ \dots \succ \beta}^{\text{roots without } \alpha_1}$$

and $\lambda = \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 + \dots + 2\alpha_{N-1} + 2\beta$.

In C_N we fix the following ordering

$$\overbrace{\alpha_1 \prec \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \prec \dots \prec \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{N-1}}^{\text{roots without } \beta} \prec 2(\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{N-1}) + \beta \prec \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{N-1} + \beta \prec \dots \prec \alpha_1 + 2(\alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_{N-1}) + \beta \prec \dots \prec \alpha_2 \prec \dots \prec \beta,$$

and $\lambda = 2(\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{N-1}) + \beta$. This ordering eliminates all non zero terms on the r.h.s of (15).

In D_N we have quite a similar situation

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_1 \succ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \succ \dots \succ \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{N-1} \succ \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{N-1} + \beta \succ \\ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \dots + 2\alpha_{N-2} + \alpha_{N-1} + \beta \succ \dots \succ \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 + \dots + 2\alpha_{N-2} + \alpha_{N-1} + \beta \succ \\ \overbrace{\alpha_2 \succ \alpha_2 + \alpha_3 \succ \dots \succ \beta}^{\text{roots without } \alpha_1} \end{aligned}$$

and $\lambda = \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 + \dots + 2\alpha_{N-2} + \alpha_{N-1} + \beta$. \square

As a direct consequence of Proposition 2, we obtain

Proposition 3. *A q -commutation holds*

$$(e_\lambda \otimes 1)(\Delta(e_\lambda) - e_\lambda \otimes 1) = q_\lambda(\Delta(e_\lambda) - e_\lambda \otimes 1)(e_\lambda \otimes 1) \text{ where } q_\lambda = q^{(\lambda, \lambda)}.$$

Proof. The statement follows from Proposition 2 and (13) if one notices that

$$\check{R}_{\prec \lambda}(e_\lambda \otimes 1) = (e_\lambda \otimes 1)\check{R}_{\prec \lambda}.$$

□

Let us define a coboundary twist

$$\mathcal{J}(e_\lambda) = (W \otimes W)\Delta(W^{-1}), \text{ where } W = \exp_{q_\lambda}\left(\frac{t}{1 - q_\lambda} e_\lambda\right)$$

Then the following is true

Proposition 4. *$\mathcal{J}(e_\lambda)$ is nonsingular and defines a nontrivial twisting of $U(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$ in the limit $q \rightarrow 1$.*

Proof. By Proposition 3 we have

$$\mathcal{J}(e_\lambda) = \exp_{q_\lambda}\left(\frac{t}{1 - q_\lambda} 1 \otimes e_\lambda\right) \exp_{q_\lambda^{-1}}\left(-\frac{t}{1 - q_\lambda} (\Delta(e_\lambda) - e_\lambda \otimes 1)\right).$$

The latter representation is nonsingular and from $\hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$, which is obvious if one uses the Campbell-Hausdorff formula after applying the dilogarithmic representation of q -exponent [4]:

$$\exp_{q_\lambda}\left(\frac{t}{1 - q_\lambda} x\right) = \exp\left(\sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{t^n}{n(1 - q_\lambda^n)} x^n\right) \quad (17)$$

along with the properties (14) and

$$[e_\lambda, \hat{U}_q^+(\mathfrak{g})] \in (q - 1) \hat{U}_q^+(\mathfrak{g}).$$

Note, that to be self-consistent one can directly verify that (17) satisfies (20), considering (20) as a functional equation for the function $\text{Li}_2(t \cdot x, q)$: $\text{Li}_2(t \cdot x, q) = \ln(\exp_q(\frac{t}{1 - q} x))$. Finally, $\overline{\mathcal{J}}$ is a twist by Proposition 1. □

Example 1. Consider $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}_{N+1}$. We have the following formula for the co-product associated with the chosen normal ordering

$$\alpha_1 \succ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \succ \cdots \succ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \cdots + \alpha_N \succ \overbrace{\alpha_2 \succ \cdots \succ \alpha_{N-1} + \alpha_N}^{\text{roots without } \alpha_1} \succ \alpha_N$$

given by

$$\Delta(e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}) = k_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}^{-1} \otimes e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}} + e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}} \otimes 1 + (1 - q^2) \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{i+1}} k_{\epsilon_{i+1} - \epsilon_{N+1}}^{-1} \otimes e_{\epsilon_{i+1} - \epsilon_{N+1}}$$

where $\alpha_i = \epsilon_i - \epsilon_{i+1}$.

To calculate specialization $\overline{\mathcal{J}(e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}})}$, we represent $\mathcal{J}(e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}})$ in the following form

$$\mathcal{J}(e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}) = \exp_{q^{-2}}\left(-t \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{i+1}} k_{\epsilon_{i+1} - \epsilon_{N+1}}^{-1} \otimes e_{\epsilon_{i+1} - \epsilon_{N+1}} C_{1,N+1}\right) \mathcal{J}_1$$

where

$$C_{1,N+1} = \exp_{q^2}\left(-\frac{q}{1-q^2} t e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}\right) \cdot \exp_{q^{-2}}\left(\frac{t}{1-q^2} e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}\right) \quad (18)$$

and

$$\mathcal{J}_1 = \exp_{q^2}\left(\frac{t}{1-q^2} 1 \otimes e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}\right) \exp_{q^{-2}}\left(-\frac{t}{1-q^2} k_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}^{-1} \otimes e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}\right). \quad (19)$$

Calculation of (18) – (19) is based on the Heine's formula from [6]:

$$1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} t^n \frac{(\alpha)_q \cdots (\alpha + n - 1)_q}{(n)_q!} x^n = \exp_q\left(\frac{t}{1-q} x\right) \exp_{q^{-1}}\left(-\frac{q^\alpha t}{1-q} x\right). \quad (20)$$

Note that (20) can be recast so that to hold in $\hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})[[t]]$:

$$1 \otimes 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{t^n}{(n)_{q^2}!} \left(\frac{k_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}^{-1} - 1}{q^2 - 1} \right) \cdots \left(\frac{k_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}^{-1} q^{2(n-1)} - 1}{q^2 - 1} \right) \otimes e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}^n = \mathcal{J}_1 \quad (21)$$

as one checks $\frac{k_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}^{-1} q^{2(n-1)} - 1}{q^2 - 1} \in \hat{U}_q(\mathfrak{g})$. Applying the specialization map

$$a \mapsto \bar{a} := a \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} 1$$

to each of the tensor factors in $\mathcal{J}(e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}})$ we come to a formula of [5, 10]:

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\mathcal{J}(e_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}})} = \\ \exp\left(-t \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} E_{1,i+1} \otimes E_{i+1,N+1} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\sigma_{1,N+1}}\right) \cdot \\ \left(1 \otimes 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} (-1)^n t^n \frac{H_{1,N+1}(H_{1,N+1} - 1) \cdots (H_{1,N+1} - n + 1)}{2^n n!} \otimes E_{1,N+1} \right) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\sigma_{1,N+1} = \ln(1 - t E_{1,N+1}) = - \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{t^n}{n} E_{1,N+1}$$

and

$$E_{i,j} = \overline{e_{\epsilon_i - \epsilon_j}} \quad H_{1,N} = \overline{\frac{k_{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_{N+1}}^{-1} - 1}{q - 1}}.$$

4 The Cremmer-Gervais twist and its specialization at $q \rightarrow 1$

In this section we consider nontrivial quantum twists in $U_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ and their semi-classical limits $q \rightarrow 1$. As is known from the classification of Belavin-Drinfeld triples, there are two possible Belavin-Drinfeld triples for \mathfrak{sl}_3 . The first one, the empty triple, is accounted for the Drinfeld-Jimbo deformation itself, while the second is associated with another deformation which can be called the Cremmer-Gervais quantization [2] and there is a solution to (1) defining the twisting element providing a possibility to deform $U_h(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[h]]$ further. To be self-consistent we first recall the construction of this twist from [11] and then study different possibilities to define specialization $q \rightarrow 1$, unveiling a surprising connection with the Connes-Moscovici algebra \mathcal{H}_1 .

Proposition 5 ([11]). *An element*

$$\mathcal{J}_{CG} = \Phi_{CG} \cdot \mathcal{K} = \exp_{q_h^{-2}}(\xi \, e_{32} \otimes e_{12}) \, q_h^{h_{w_2} \otimes h_{w_1}}, \quad \xi \in h \cdot \mathbb{C}[[h]],$$

where

$$h_{w_1} = \frac{2}{3}e_{11} - \frac{1}{3}(e_{22} + e_{33}), \quad h_{w_2} = \frac{1}{3}(e_{11} + e_{22}) - \frac{2}{3}e_{33} \quad (22)$$

with $w_{1,2}$ being the fundamental weights, is a twist.

Proof. It is clear that $\mathcal{K} = q_h^{h_{w_2} \otimes h_{w_1}}$ defines an abelian twist of $U_{q_h}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[h]]$. It leads to the following new Hopf algebra $U_{q_h}^{\mathcal{K}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[h]]$ with the same algebra structure as for $U_{q_h}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[h]]$ and the new deformed coproducts:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_{\mathcal{K}}(e_{12}) &= q_h^{-2 \, h_{1,-1}} \otimes e_{12} + e_{12} \otimes 1, & \Delta_{\mathcal{K}}(e_{23}) &= q_h^{h_{1,-2}} \otimes e_{23} + e_{23} \otimes q_h^{h_{1,0}} \\ \Delta_{\mathcal{K}}(e_{21}) &= e_{21} \otimes q_h^{h_{2,-1}} + q^{-h_{0,1}} \otimes e_{21}, & \Delta_{\mathcal{K}}(e_{32}) &= e_{32} \otimes q_h^{-2h_{1,-1}} + 1 \otimes e_{32} \end{aligned}$$

where $h_{m,n} := m \, h_{w_1} + n \, h_{w_2}$. We are done if we prove that Φ_{CG} is a twist for $U_{q_h}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[h]]$. Indeed, explicitly (1) reads as the following

$$\begin{aligned} &\exp_{q_h^{-2}}(\xi \, e_{32} \otimes e_{12} \otimes 1) \cdot \exp_{q_h^{-2}}(\xi \, (e_{32} \otimes q_h^{-2h_{1,-1}} + 1 \otimes e_{32}) \otimes e_{12}) = \\ &\exp_{q_h^{-2}}(\xi \, 1 \otimes e_{32} \otimes e_{12}) \cdot \exp_{q_h^{-2}}(\xi \, e_{32} \otimes (q_h^{-2 \, h_{1,-1}} \otimes e_{12} + e_{12} \otimes 1)) \end{aligned}$$

and by the characteristic property of q -exponent

$$\exp_q(x+y) = \exp_q(y) \exp_q(x); \quad xy = q \, yx$$

(1) holds. □

Consider now the problem of defining specialization of \mathcal{J}_{CG} . To do so, we introduce from the beginning a $\mathbb{C}(q)$ analogue of $U_{q_h}^{\mathcal{K}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[h]]$, which we denote by $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$. As an algebra $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$ is an extension of $U_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$ obtained by

attaching elements L_i (the maximal lattice), so that $K_j = \prod_{i=1}^3 L_i^{a_{ij}}$. On the other hand, as a coalgebra $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$ has a new coproduct fixed uniquely by its values on the Chevalley generators

$$\Delta(L_i) = L_i \otimes L_i$$

$$\Delta(e_1) = L_1^{-2} L_2^2 \otimes e_1 + e_1 \otimes 1, \quad \Delta(e_2) = L_1 L_2^{-2} \otimes e_2 + e_2 \otimes L_1$$

$$\Delta(f_1) = f_1 \otimes L_1^2 L_2^{-1} + L_2^{-1} \otimes f_1, \quad \Delta(f_2) = f_2 \otimes L_1^{-2} L_2^2 + 1 \otimes f_2,$$

where L_i are invertible, pairwise commuting and satisfying

$$L_i e_j L_i^{-1} = q^{\delta_{i,j}} e_j, \quad L_i f_j L_i^{-1} = q^{-\delta_{i,j}} f_j.$$

In the sense of [?] define the regular form $\hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$ as a $\mathcal{A} := \mathbb{C}[q, q^{-1}]_{(q-1)}$ algebra such that there is an isomorphism

$$\hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3) \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} \mathbb{C}(q) \approx U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3).$$

$\hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$ is generated over \mathcal{A} by the following set of generators

$$\left\{ L_i^{-1}, \frac{L_i - 1}{q - 1}, e_i, f_i \right\}$$

If we denote by the "barred" generators the images of generators under specialization map

$$a \mapsto \bar{a} := a \hat{\otimes}_{\mathcal{A}} 1,$$

then the generators of $\hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$ specialize to the classical Chevalley generators of $U(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$ as the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{e}_1 &= E_{12}, & \bar{e}_2 &= E_{23}, & \overline{\frac{L_1 - 1}{q - 1}} &= h_{w_1} \\ \bar{f}_1 &= E_{21}, & \bar{f}_2 &= E_{32}, & \overline{\frac{L_2 - 1}{q - 1}} &= h_{w_2} \end{aligned} \tag{23}$$

(see (22)). Let us additionally make completion $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ then we can formulate a q -analogue of Proposition 5:

Proposition 6. *An element*

$$\hat{\Phi}_{CG} = \exp_{q^{-2}}(\zeta f_2 \otimes e_1), \quad \zeta \in t \cdot \mathcal{A}[[t]]$$

is a twist in $\hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$.

On the other hand apart from $\hat{\Phi}_{CG}$ we can construct the twists in $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ which restrict to $\hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ only after a suitable change of basis which is implemented by some coboundary twist, namely we can prove

Proposition 7. *An element*

$$\mathcal{F}_{CG} = (V \otimes V) \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(\frac{q^{-2} \cdot \zeta \cdot t}{1 - q^2} f_2 \otimes e_1 \right) \Delta(V^{-1}), \quad \zeta \in t \cdot \mathcal{A}[[t]],$$

where

$$V = \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(-\frac{\zeta}{1 - q^2} e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2} \right) \cdot \exp_{q^2} \left(\frac{t}{1 - q^2} f_2 \right),$$

restricts to a twist of $\hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$.

Proof. By the form of the coproducts

$$\Delta(e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2}) = e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2} \otimes L_1^2 L_2^{-2} + 1 \otimes e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2}, \quad \Delta(f_2) = f_2 \otimes L_1^{-2} L_2^2 + 1 \otimes f_2$$

we have explicitly

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{F}_{CG} &= \left(V \otimes \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(-\frac{\zeta}{1 - q^2} e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2} \right) \right) \\ &\exp_{q^{-2}} \left(\frac{q^{-2} \cdot \zeta \cdot t}{1 - q^2} f_2 \otimes e_1 \right) \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(-\frac{t}{1 - q^2} f_2 \otimes L_1^{-2} L_2^2 \right) \Delta \left(\exp_{q^2} \left(\frac{\zeta}{1 - q^2} e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2} \right) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Using the five terms relation, [4]:

If $[u, [u, v]]_{q^2} = [v, [u, v]]_{q^{-2}} = 0$ then

$$e_{q^2}(u) \cdot e_{q^2}(v) = e_{q^2}(v) \cdot e_{q^2} \left(\frac{1}{1 - q^2} [u, v] \right) \cdot e_{q^2}(u) \quad (24)$$

we can simplify

$$\begin{aligned} &\exp_{q^{-2}} \left(-\frac{t}{1 - q^2} f_2 \otimes L_1^{-2} L_2^2 \right) \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(-\frac{\zeta}{1 - q^2} 1 \otimes e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2} \right) = \\ &\exp_{q^{-2}} \left(-\frac{\zeta}{1 - q^2} 1 \otimes e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2} \right) \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(\frac{q^{-2} \cdot \zeta \cdot t}{1 - q^2} f_2 \otimes e_1 \right) \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(-\frac{t}{1 - q^2} f_2 \otimes L_1^{-2} L_2^2 \right) \end{aligned}$$

and thus \mathcal{F}_{CG} transforms to the following form

$$\mathcal{F}_{CG} = \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(-\frac{t}{1 - q^2} (f_2 \otimes L_1^{-2} L_2^2 + e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2} \otimes 1) \right) \exp_{q^2} \left(\frac{t}{1 - q^2} (f_2 \otimes 1 + L_1^2 L_2^{-2} e_1 \otimes L_1^2 L_2^{-2}) \right)$$

and finally by the Heine's formula we have

$$\mathcal{F}_{CG} = 1 \otimes 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1}{(n)_{q^2}!} \left(1 \otimes \frac{L_1^{-2} L_2^2 - 1}{q^2 - 1} \dots \frac{L_1^{-2} L_2^2 q^{2(n-1)} - 1}{q^2 - 1} \right) (t \cdot f_2 \otimes 1 + \zeta \cdot L_1^2 L_2^{-2} e_1 \otimes L_1^2 L_2^{-2})^n$$

the latter expression restricts to $\hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ as we have

$$\frac{L_1^{-2} L_2^2 q^{2(n-1)} - 1}{q^2 - 1} \in \hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)$$

□

5 Semi-classical twists and noncommutative geometry

Proposition 8. *There is a semi-classical twist \mathcal{F} and a homomorphism*

$$\iota : \mathcal{H}_1 \rightarrow U^{\mathcal{F}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$$

Proof. We solve more general problem of obtaining quantization $\mathcal{H}'_{1,q}$ in the sense that there is an embedding

$$\iota_q : \mathcal{H}'_{1,q} \hookrightarrow U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$$

where $\mathcal{H}'_{1,q}$ denotes an appropriately defined q -deformation of \mathcal{H}'_1 . Consider the following coboundary twist in $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$:

$$\mathcal{J} := (W \otimes W)\Delta(W^{-1}), \quad W = \exp_{q^{-2}}\left(-\frac{t}{1-q^2} e_{1+2}L_1\right)$$

where

$$e_{1+2}L_1 := (e_1e_2 - q e_2e_1)L_1$$

has the following coproduct

$$\Delta(e_{1+2}L_1) = e_{1+2}L_1 \otimes L_1^2 + 1 \otimes e_{1+2}L_1 + (1-q^2) e_1L_1^2L_2^{-2} \otimes e_2L_1.$$

By the properties

$$\begin{aligned} (1 \otimes e_{1+2}L_1)(e_{1+2}L_1 \otimes L_1^2 + (1-q^2) e_1L_1^2L_2^{-2} \otimes e_2L_1) = \\ q^{-2}(e_{1+2}L_1 \otimes L_1^2 + (1-q^2)e_1L_1^2L_2^{-2} \otimes e_2L_1)(1 \otimes e_{1+2}L_1), \\ (e_1L_1^2L_2^{-2} \otimes e_2L_1)(e_{1+2}L_1 \otimes L_1^2) = q^{-2}(e_{1+2}L_1 \otimes L_1^2)(e_1L_1^2L_2^{-2} \otimes e_2L_1) \end{aligned}$$

\mathcal{J} is nonsingular, the reasoning is same as in Proposition 4, and can be represented in the following form

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{J} = \overbrace{\text{Ad} \exp_{q^{-2}}\left(-\frac{t}{1-q^2} e_{1+2}L_1 \otimes 1\right) (\exp_{q^2}(t e_1L_1^2L_2^{-2} \otimes e_2L_1))}^{\mathcal{J}_1} \cdot \\ \overbrace{\exp_{q^{-2}}\left(-\frac{t}{1-q^2} e_{1+2}L_1 \otimes 1\right) \exp_{q^2}\left(\frac{t}{1-q^2} e_{1+2}L_1 \otimes L_1^2\right)}^{\mathcal{J}_2}. \end{aligned}$$

Let us check that for both factors we have

$$\mathcal{J}_{1,2} \in \hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3) \otimes \hat{U}'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]].$$

Indeed, it follows from explicit form of the factors $\mathcal{J}_{1,2}$:

$$\mathcal{J}_1 = \exp_{q^2} \left(t e_1L_1^2L_2^{-2} \frac{1}{1-t e_{1+2}L_1} \otimes e_2L_1 \right),$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{J}_2 &= \exp_{q^{-2}} \left(\frac{q^{-2} t}{1 - q^{-2}} e_{1+2} L_1 \otimes 1 \right) \left(\exp_{q^{-2}} \left(\frac{q^{-2} t}{1 - q^{-2}} e_{1+2} L_1 \otimes L_1^2 \right) \right)^{-1} = \\ &= 1 \otimes 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} t^n \frac{(-1)^n}{(n)_{q^{-2}}!} (e_{1+2} L_1)^n \otimes \frac{(L_1^2 - 1)}{q^2 - 1} \cdot \frac{(L_1^2 q^{-2} - 1)}{q^2 - 1} \dots \frac{(L_1^2 q^{-2(n-1)} - 1)}{q^2 - 1}.\end{aligned}$$

Calculating specialization at $q = 1$ we come to

$$\overline{\mathcal{J}} = \exp(t E_{12} \frac{1}{1 - t E_{13}} \otimes E_{23}) \left(1 \otimes 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} (-1)^n t^n E_{13}^n \otimes \frac{h_{w_1}(h_{w_1} - 1) \dots (h_{w_1} - n + 1)}{n!} \right)$$

$\overline{\mathcal{J}}$ defines a noncoboundary deformation of $U(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ as it follows from

$$\overline{\mathcal{J}}_{21} \neq \overline{\mathcal{J}}.$$

On the other hand its quantum counter part \mathcal{J} is coboundary in $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ and amounts to switching to another basis of $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$. In particular, the subset of generators

$$\{L_1 L_2^{-1}, e_1, f_2\}$$

is changing in the following way

$$L_1^2 L_2^{-2} \mapsto W(L_1^2 L_2^{-2}) W^{-1} = L_1^2 L_2^{-2}, \quad e_1 \mapsto W(e_1) W^{-1} = e_1 \frac{1}{1 - t e_{1+2} L_1}$$

$$f_2 \mapsto W(f_2) W^{-1} = f_2 - \frac{t}{1 - q^2} q^{-1} L_1^2 L_2^{-2} e_1 \frac{1}{1 - t e_{1+2} L_1}$$

and we can form a Hopf subalgebra $\mathcal{D}_q \subset U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ generated by the set of generators

$$\left\{ k := L_1^2 L_2^{-2}, x := f_2, z := q^{-1} L_1^2 L_2^{-2} e_1 \frac{1}{1 - t e_{1+2} L_1} \right\}.$$

with the following structure:

$$k x k^{-1} = q^2 x, \quad k z k^{-1} = q^2 z, \quad q^2 x z - z x = -t z^2$$

$$\Delta(k) = k \otimes k, \quad \Delta(z) = z \otimes k + 1 \otimes z$$

$$\Delta(x) = x \otimes k^{-1} + 1 \otimes x + t z \otimes \frac{(k - k^{-1})}{1 - q^2}.$$

The structure of its specialization $\mathcal{D}_1 \approx \mathcal{D}_q \hat{\otimes}_{\mathcal{A}} 1$ is the following:

$$[\overline{y}, \overline{x}] = \overline{x}, \quad [\overline{y}, \overline{z}] = \overline{z}, \quad \overline{xz} - \overline{zx} = -t \overline{z}^2$$

$$\Delta(\overline{y}) = \overline{y} \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes \overline{y}, \quad \Delta(\overline{z}) = \overline{z} \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes \overline{z}$$

$$\Delta(\bar{x}) = \bar{x} \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes \bar{x} - t \bar{z} \otimes \bar{y}$$

where

$$\bar{y} := \frac{\overline{k-1}}{q-1}.$$

Finally we obtain the stated map

$$\iota : \mathcal{H}'_1 \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_1 \subset U^{\overline{\mathcal{J}}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$$

by fixing its values on the generators

$$\iota(X) = -\frac{1}{2}\bar{x}, \quad \iota(Y) = \bar{y}, \quad \iota(Z) = t\bar{z}.$$

where the generators X, Y, Z fulfills the relations

$$[Y, X] = X, \quad [Y, Z] = Z, \quad [X, Z] = \frac{1}{2}Z^2$$

and the coproducts are obtained from (2) by substitution Z for δ_1 . Next, ι is an isomorphism as ι maps the basis of $\mathcal{H}'_1 : \{X^k Y^l Z^m\}_{k,l,m \geq 0}$ onto the basis of $\mathcal{D}_1 : \{x^{-k} y^{-l} z^{-m}\}_{k,l,m \geq 0}$ \square

Now we can obtain

Proposition 9. *An element*

$$F_q = (WV \otimes WV) \exp_{q^{-2}}\left(\frac{q^{-3} \cdot t^3}{(1-q^2)^2} f_2 \otimes e_1\right) \Delta(V^{-1})(W^{-1} \otimes W^{-1}),$$

where

$$V = \exp_{q^{-2}}\left(-\frac{q^{-1}t}{(1-q^2)^2} e_1 L_1^2 L_2^{-2}\right) \cdot \exp_{q^2}\left(\frac{t}{1-q^2} f_2\right),$$

restricts to a twist in $\hat{U}_q^{\mathcal{J}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$.

Proof. It is convenient to introduce notation

$$\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{CG} = (V \otimes V) \exp_{q^{-2}}\left(\frac{q^{-3} \cdot t^3}{(1-q^2)^2} f_2 \otimes e_1\right) \Delta(V^{-1}).$$

Then by the reasoning of Proposition 6 we can prove that

$$\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{CG} = 1 \otimes 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1}{(n)_{q^2}!} \left(1 \otimes \frac{L_1^{-2} L_2^2 - 1}{q^2 - 1} \dots \frac{L_1^{-2} L_2^2 q^{2(n-1)} - 1}{q^2 - 1}\right) (t \cdot f_2 \otimes 1 + \frac{q^{-1}t^2}{1-q^2} \cdot L_1^2 L_2^{-2} e_1 \otimes L_1^2 L_2^{-2})^n$$

Next, the following element

$$\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{CG}^W := (W \otimes W) \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{CG} \Delta(W^{-1})$$

is a twist in $U'_q(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$ and respectively

$$F_q = (W \otimes W) \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{CG} (W^{-1} \otimes W^{-1})$$

defines a twist in $U_q^{\mathcal{J}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$. Explicitly

$$F_q = 1 \otimes 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1}{(n)_{q^2}!} \left(1 \otimes \frac{L_1^{-2} L_2^2 - 1}{q^2 - 1} \cdots \frac{L_1^{-2} L_2^2 q^{2(n-1)} - 1}{q^2 - 1} \right) \cdot \\ \left(t \cdot f_2 \otimes 1 - t^2 \cdot q^{-1} e_1 \frac{1}{1 - t e_{1+2} L_1} \otimes \frac{L_1^2 L_2^{-2} - 1}{q^2 - 1} \right)^n$$

again similarly to Proposition 6 we check that F_q restricts to a twist in $\hat{U}_q^{\mathcal{J}}(\mathfrak{sl}_3)[[t]]$. If we specialize $q = 1$ and apply Proposition 8 we obtain

$$F_1 = 1 \otimes 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{t^n}{n!} (1 \otimes Y(Y-1) \cdots (Y-n+1))(2X \otimes 1 + Z \otimes Y)^n.$$

Note that a formula for F_1 was obtained in [7] by a direct check in the study of the twists for \mathfrak{sl}_2 Yangian. To make correspondence with (3) we additionally twist F_1 by a coboundary:

$$F'_1 = (\exp(t \, XY) \otimes \exp(t \, XY)) F_1 \Delta(\exp(-t \, XY))$$

expanding in t we have

$$F'_1 = 1 \otimes 1 + t \cdot (X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X + ZY \otimes Y) + \cdots$$

Thus F'_1 is equivalent to (3). □

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